

TENTH YEAR.

ELECTION BOARD.

A Special Concerning the Work of Tabulating the Counties.

MANY VISITORS IN FRANKFORT.

Governor Bradley Goes Before the Board and Denounces the Lying Newspaper Correspondents—Interesting Notes Jotted Down.

Frankfort, Dec. 5, 1899. SPECIAL TO THE BEE:

The work of the State Election Board has progressed so far that when it adjourned at 4 o'clock the list of 119 counties had been worked through and tabulated except 11 counties, about which some question was raised. These eleven include Christian and Hopkins. Wherever there was any shadow of an opening for argument on any point the county was passed to be considered after the completion of the tabulation of all counties that were allowed to come up without objection by the Goebel men.

In the case of Christian the reason of passing the county was that the certificate, or rather statement and protest of the County Board, giving their "reason" for not counting the vote of Hopkinsville precinct No. 1, which paper, however, states the vote cast for the various candidates in that precinct which was excluded in this certificate of the county vote—this paper was not the original but only a copy, and the matter was held up until the original could be found. It is understood that the original paper is now in possession of the board and will be presented tomorrow.

In the case of Hopkins, the now notorious letter of protest, was the only thing submitted in connection with the original certificate. No affidavits were submitted and the attorneys for Goebel said they knew of none. That it gave a chance for argument and the attorneys for Taylor permitted it to pass without objection in order to save time.

The board adjourned at 4 o'clock to meet in the Senate chamber in the morning at 10 o'clock to hear arguments on the 11 counties passed, Judge Pryor and Capt. Ellis suggested that the attorneys submit their objections to the several counties briefly in writing so as to expedite the discussion. The attorneys for Goebel were not altogether pleased at this suggestion, but acquiesced with as good grace as possible. Then came the question again as to custody of the records. McCreary, for Goebel, moved that the Secretary of State be instructed to deliver the certificates and papers in the 11 counties under consideration to Judge Hargis, of unsavory fame, at the Capital Hotel—Goebel's headquarters—tonight, so that his attorneys could consider. Secretary Finley and Attorney Wilson objected on the grounds that the law did not permit the Secretary of State to allow the papers to go out of his office and suggested that attorneys for both sides could come to the Secretary of State's office tonight and make the examination. Judge Pryor agreed to this and it was so decided. In closing the session Judge Pryor said the principal question to be discussed was "whether the Board could go behind the returns." Capt. Ellis put it in a little different language and said the question was "whether the Board could consider the supplementary reports or must confine itself to the original certificates only." It is thought that this question will be discussed first in the morning before any county is taken up.

Upon arrival of the Courier-Journal today with the false and sensational story about the troops and armed men being here and that Governor Bradley was getting these men here to use force in Gen. Taylor's behalf. Governor Bradley went in before the Board and denied the story and denounced in his own vigorous way, the lying newspaper correspondents who are thus playing with incendiary stories.

NOTES.

Secretary Finley refused to receive as a part of the returns from Jefferson the half-bushel of type-written records and newspaper clippings that was sent

up—largely consisting of Green Street affidavits. The Secretary had had the porter to remove the cumbersome pile after it was left on his table. Judge Hargis didn't like it and asked if there was any objection to having the stuff brought in. Attorney A. E. Willson said there was none, that Mr. Hargis could carry in anything he pleased—a carpet bag or any old thing.

A gentleman today, using Proctor Knott's expression said the count by Goebel Boards and the handling of the Kentucky vote before the State Board under the Goebel law was "like suing the devil and trying the case in hell."

Courtney Chenault, secretary of the State Board, always pronounces Frank Pasteur's name Pas-teer with emphasis on the "toer."

A lawyer of some note said today, making a comparison of the legal talent arrayed on the two sides, said that Hon. A. E. Willson and Helen Bruce backed up by Gen. Taylor, Judge Pratt, Judge Holt and the other eminent lawyers who are all the time busy digging up points of law covering every phase of the emergency, would before they got through make Goebel's attorneys "look like 30 cents."

Goebel's attorneys are Mr. McCreary, Judge Hargis, R. Frank Peake, Col. Bennett H. Young and Willard Mitchell of incendiary speech fame—he would kill "all the white Republicans."

Capt. W. T. Ellis is clearly the strongest personality on the State Board.

A group that attracted some attention at the dinner table today was made up of William Goebel, Mr. Poyntz, Judge Pryor, Joe Blackburn, R. Frank Peake, Willard Mitchell, and Graham Vreeland of the Courier-Journal, who had incurred the disfavor of Gov. Bradley by his misrepresentations.

Ollie James made a speech yesterday in behalf of June Gayle, the nominee of the Goebel men for Congress. The expression could be heard, "I didn't hear the speech but I'll bet it was incendiary."

Judge Dempsey, A. D. Sisk and R. B. Bradley are the only Hopkins county Democrats here but others will probably arrive tomorrow.

It is not known whether anything in the way of "evidence" will be submitted to back up Messrs. Bradley and Laffoon's "letter of protest." No "affidavits" have shown up yet. But no fear is felt that the vote of Hopkins will be disturbed.

There are many visitors in Frankfort from various quarters of the State, both Republicans and Democrats, but no unpleasantness of any kind has been manifest in any quarter.

P. M. M.

The Latest From Frankfort.

SPECIAL TO THE BEE. Frankfort, Dec. 6.—At 5:30 this evening the board adjourned until 7:30 tonight, after hearing two speeches on each side, taking up all the time since 11 o'clock this morning. Tonight Judge Humphreys, for anti-Goebel side, and Judge Hargis, for Goebel, what is heard. Hargis during two hours and a half to talk about Louisville affidavits, and the fact that the State Board has been used today, and was crowded all day, perfect order being manifested. The Republican attorneys' work—drawing objection to the other nine counties passed—will not be counted until argument is closed and the board decides whether they can go behind the returns. Arguments have been up on this point, bringing incidentally counties effected. Only the bare, bald unfounded letter of protest from Hopkins has been produced. No affidavits promised have been shown and Hopkins not in list of counties submitted by Goebel attorneys as objected. Capt. Ellis asked some pointed questions this afternoon that staggered Goebel's attorneys to answer to their satisfaction. The magnificent arguments made by Fairleigh and Wilson completely overshadowed the work of Goebel attorneys. The Goebel men are working hard and scheming fast but there are the best reasons now to believe that the Board will not go behind the returns, but will issue certificates to the Republican ticket elected by the voice of the people.

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IS READY TO SURRENDER.

A Hong-Kong Dispatch Says that Aguinaldo is Willing to Surrender to Wildman.

FILIPINO JUNTA ADVISED HIM TO DO SO.

Gen. Hughes at Santa Barbara, Pa.—He has Occupied Twenty Towns—Aguinaldo's Mother Glad that Peace is Now Not Far Off.

New York, Dec. 6.—A special cablegram from Hong Kong to the Evening World says that Filipinos there announce that Aguinaldo is ready to surrender if Consul Wildman will receive him at Manila. The dispatch adds that the Filipino junta at Hong Kong was in communication with Aguinaldo last week, and advised him then to throw himself on the mercy of the United States.

Gen. Hughes in Panay.

Manila, Dec. 5, 12:30 p. m.—Gen. Hughes now occupies Santa Barbara and Cabutuan, island of Panay, his lines extending 35 miles north of Iloilo. He has occupied 20 towns. The inhabitants are returning with white flags, their fear of the Americans is diminishing as they learn that they will be well treated.

It is impossible to get the insurgents to fight. They are retreating to the mountains, and no more organized resistance is expected. The artillery wagons are being used for packing. Water buffaloes are also being used for this purpose.

Aguinaldo's Mother Desires Peace.

New York, Dec. 6.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says: Aguinaldo's mother says she desires nothing but peace. She is glad from the bottom of her heart that the insurrection is near an end.

Aguinaldo, she says, is not sufficiently civilized to keep from being misled by bad counsel from his ministers and congress, a majority of whom constantly declared for war against Aguinaldo's personal wishes to the contrary.

Gratified at Kind Treatment.

She is immensely gratified at the kind treatment of herself and Aguinaldo's son by the Americans. She believed they would be shot, and tried to keep the identity of her grandson concealed. Aguinaldo's mother says that the death of his baby, recently born, was due to falling from a nurse's arms, and was not, as has been reported, the result of exposure during the retreat of the Filipinos. She adds that the women and officers' families are suffering fearful privations and hardships. She declares she does not know Aguinaldo's present whereabouts nor his ultimate destination.

SENATOR HAYWARD IS DEAD.

Nebraska's New Senator-Elect Died Without Having Been Able to Take His Seat.

Nebraska City, Neb., Dec. 5.—Senator Hayward died at 6:20 a. m.

United States Senator Monroe L. Hayward was 59 years old and had lived in Nebraska City for 32 years. Although a lawyer by profession, he made his wealth largely through investments in lands in Nebraska and Kansas. His election to the United States senate was his first appearance in national politics. He was defeated for governor by Poynter, two years ago, reducing the fusion majority from 16,000 to 3,000. When the last legislature was found to be republican, Mr. Hayward announced his candidacy for the United States senate, and the fight which followed was one of the bitterest in the history of the state. The long-drawn-out caucus deadlock finally resulted in his election, but soon afterwards he was stricken with paralysis while addressing a political meeting.

Senator Hayward was a veteran of the civil war, serving in the Twenty-second regiment of New York volunteers and later in the Fifth cavalry. He married Miss Jennie Pelton, of Putnam county, N. Y., in 1870 and his widow and two sons survive him.

Kurdish Vengeance.

Constantinople, Dec. 6.—Private advices received here report that the Kurds have avenged the recent incursion of Russian Armenians into the Alashgird district, in Turkish Asia, by pillaging the Armenian village of Kostur and massacring 300 of its inhabitants.

Has Heard Nothing of It.

New York, Dec. 6.—Capt. McCluskey, of the detective bureau, said that he had heard nothing of the capture of F. Miller, of the Franklin syndicate of Brooklyn, who was said to have been arrested in Montreal. He said he did not believe Miller had been arrested.

A Rare Chance for Landmen.

Chicago, Dec. 5.—Capt. Blockinger, commander of the naval recruiting station in Chicago, has been instructed to enlist 30 landmen for the cruiser Hartford, which will leave San Francisco, December 20, for a year's trip around the world.

Eight Stores Burned.

Mayfield, Ky., Dec. 5.—Fire yesterday destroyed the Dewey block, on Eighth and Broadway, and eight stores. The fire broke out in a laundry building, and spread rapidly to the other buildings. Loss, \$50,000; insurance, \$15,000.

President McKinley will deliver

an address at the tomb of George Washington, December 14, the one hundredth anniversary of Washington's death. The ceremonies will be participated in by the Masters of every Grand Lodge in the United States, except Pennsylvania, the rules of which body forbids participation in public ceremonies. A salute will be fired from the guns at Fort Washington and several warships will be ordered up the Potomac to add to the impressiveness of the event.

PLACED IN A NUTSHELL.

A Busy Man's Synopsis of What is Covered by the President's Annual Message.

Following is a synopsis of the president's message sent to congress on the 24th inst. The full document is 23,000 words long:

The country has been unusually prosperous for the last two years. The merchant marine should be strengthened. The relations with Germany are most cordial. There exists a generous commercial rivalry. The American boundary question is still unsettled. America would have been glad to have aided in adjusting the differences between British and Boers. Our position is strictly neutral.

Federal courts should have jurisdiction in cases similar to the Italian Exchange. A cable line to Manila is deemed a necessary step. Control of Bamon has been settled satisfactorily. Friendly relations have been renewed with Spain.

The United States should not pay out just claims. Commercial union of the American Republics should be the aim. There has been no departure from the policy of non-interference with the men who fought in the Philippines.

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LIEUT. MONROE PLAYED BLUFF AND WON.

One of the Best Pieces of Work Done During the Entire Philippine War—Seventy Spanish Prisoners and Some American Rescued—Arms and Property Captured.

New York, Dec. 5.—A dispatch to the Herald from Manila says: The surrender of Gen. Conon and 800 insurgents at Bayambang, to Lieut. James E. Munro, of the Fourth cavalry, was the result of a remarkable display of courage and "bluff" on the part of the American officer.

Lieut. Munro had only 50 men with him, and all possible reinforcements were far in his rear. He communicated by telegraph with the insurgent leader, stating that he was ready to give up Bayambang at once with a large force unless he received the unconditional surrender of the rebels.

The lieutenant wired south for reinforcements, but 24 hours before they reached him he went to Bayambang with his little escort of half a hundred men and Gen. Conon surrendered to him.

It was a Successful Bluff. Manila, Dec. 2, 6 p. m.—The capture by Lieut. Munro and 50 men of the Fourth cavalry of the Filipino general, Conon, with 800 officers and men with rifles, several American and 70 Spanish prisoners at Bayambang, Province of Nueva Vizcaya, was a successful bluff. Lieut. Munro tapped the rebel wire, telegraphed to Conon that he was advancing with a large force and demanded his surrender. After negotiations, Conon consented to capitulate to "superior force" whereupon Lieut. Munro telegraphed that he would enter the town with a small guard and receive the garrison's surrender. He captured the whole Filipino force and secured their arms, the rebels supposing Munro had an army behind him.

Suicide of Capt. Brereton. Washington, Dec. 3.—The war department has received word following from Gen. Otis at Manila, dated December 2:

Lieut. Col. Brereton, captain of the Twenty-fourth infantry, while temporarily insane, committed suicide at Zamboanga, Mindanao, on December 2, by shooting himself in the chest with a revolver.

Murder in an Asylum. Kankakee, Ill., Dec. 3.—William Wiley, colored, a patient in the asylum for the insane here, was found in bed in the dormitory, Friday, stabbed to the heart. There were no signs of a struggle. Fifteen other patients sleep in the dormitory. It is believed one of them committed the murder.

A Smooth Forger.

Hillsboro, Ill., Dec. 3.—Letters received by Sheriff Casseday from William Richardson and Attorney Castro, of Parkersburg, W. Va., conclusively establish that in Ellis Glenn, the man who was arrested yesterday for passing a counterfeit note, was a successful forger.

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FIFTY-SIXTH CONGRESS.

The first session of the senate of the Fifty-sixth congress met on the 4th. The usual routine resolutions were adopted and the oath administered to new members, after which Senator Sewall, of New Jersey, announced the death of Vice President Hobart, and presented a bill for the relief of the estate of the late Vice President.

In the house David B. Henderson, of Iowa, was elected speaker, and introduced into office. The administration of the oath to Congressmen Robert H. Rogers, of Utah, was postponed, pending inquiry, the floor rules were adopted, and the session closed.

In the senate, on the 5th, the president's message was received and read, after which the death of Senator-Elect Munro E. Hayward, of Nebraska, was announced, and the senate immediately adjourned as a mark of respect to deceased.

In the house, after a debate of three hours, the resolution offered by Mr. Taylor of Ohio on the 4th, for the appointment of a special committee to investigate the charges against Brigham H. Roberts, the Mormon representative-elect from Utah, was passed by a vote of 202 to 81, interest in this event completely overshadowed the reading of the president's message.

STOICISM OF THE KHALIFA.

When Resistance Was Useless Set Down in the Mists of His Emirs to Die. Cairo, Dec. 2.—Officers from the Sudan who have arrived here say that when Gen. Vinagre's force overtook the khalifa the latter tried to outflank the Anglo-Egyptians, but failed. Seeing his position was hopeless, the khalifa told his emirs to stay with him and die.

He then spread a sheepskin on the ground and sat down on it, with the emirs on either side of him. The khalifa was found shot through the head, heart, arms and legs, and the emirs were lying dead beside him. The members of his bodyguard were all dead in front of them.

GARRET A. HOBART'S WILL.

His Family Magnificently Provided For and a Number of Friends Remembered.

Pateron, N. J., Dec. 2.—The will of the late Vice-President Garret A. Hobart was filed in the Passaic county surrogate's office. The value of the estate is not given, but it is understood to be about \$2,500,000. Of the estate, Mrs. Jennie Hobart, the widow, receives \$1,000,000, and one-half of the remainder, after a number of bequests are paid, the son, Garret A. Hobart, Jr., inheriting the other half, when he attains his majority.

A BOLD EXPRESS ROBBERY.

One Man Held Up Two Messengers and Secured Seventeen Hundred Dollars. Charleston, S. C., Dec. 2.—An unknown white man, closely masked, held up two messengers in a Southern Express Co. car last night, and under cover of a revolver, compelled them to give up \$1,700 in cash. Eight thousand dollars in another safe was overlooked by the outlaw, who accomplished his work without any aid.

The robbery took place near Branchville, S. C., on the Southern railway. A SUPPLY TRAIN WRECKED. Salt Fork Intended for the British Army in South Africa Ditched in Illinois.

Chicago, Dec. 4.—A train of 14 refrigerators containing salt pork intended for the British army in South Africa was wrecked yesterday near North, Ill., on the Milwaukee division of the Chicago & Northwestern. The cars were completely demolished, but it is believed the greater part of the pork can be saved. A serious delay in shipment, however, will result.

THE MEXICAN PRESIDENCY.

General Enthusiasm for the Candidacy of the Present Incumbent, President Diaz.

City of Mexico, Dec. 4.—The liberal party committee has called a national convention of the party to assemble here February 10, to nominate a candidate for president of the republic. The local committees report general enthusiasm for the candidacy of President Diaz, and political meetings and processions are being held all over the republic.

Unpleasantly Close Call.

Manila, Dec. 2.—Mr. A. L. Sonnenstein, who recently escaped from the Filipino revolt, was captured by the lieutenant and his fellow prisoners were drawn up in line, at San Isidro, to be shot, by order of Gen. Luna, shortly after their capture, but were saved by the interference of Aguinaldo.

Escaped From Jail.

Columbus, O., Dec. 2.—Capt. Ike T. Tole, last of the Sixth United States Infantry, who was to have been tried before the United States court here for using war department penalty envelopes for private letters, escaped from the county jail here.

Unlaid Death in Silesia.

Milwaukee, Dec. 5.—A Sentinel special from Monroe, Wis., says: "An immense bed of high quality silica has been discovered at Dayton, Green county, the value of which is placed at between \$15 and \$20 per ton. One bed which has been sounded is ten feet thick and extends into the hills fully a mile.

Voluntary Increase in Wages.

Kansas City, Mo., Dec. 5.—The Bureau-Hann-Munger Dry Goods Co. yesterday announced a voluntary increase in wages of its 800 factory employees of from five to 12 1/2 per cent, to take effect immediately, and run through the winter.

Asbore in Coos Bay.

San Francisco, Dec. 3.—News has been received that the schooner Eureka, which left here November 14, has gone ashore near Bandon, Co. day, half a mile from the jetty. It is not known whether any lives were lost.

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FELL AT MODDER RIVER

The British Loss in Gen. Methuen's Last Battle Was 438 Killed, Wounded and Missing.

LOSSES OF THE VARIOUS COMMANDS.

Of the Total Seventy-Three Were Killed Outright—The British Dismounted "Butcher's Bill"—Gen. Methuen Constructing a Bridge Across the Modder.

London, Dec. 3.—As surmised the British dead and wounded at the hard-fought battle of Modder River number hundreds. Up to 2 p. m. only the bare total, 428, of which number 73 were killed, had been given out. So it is impossible to deduct "from the butcher's bill" such information regarding the nature of the fight as to losses of the different units.

The Losses by Commands. The revised list of Modder River casualties, non-commissioned officers and men, is divided as follows: Ninth Lancers—One wounded. Engineers—Three wounded. Artillery—Three killed, 23 wounded. Second Coldstreams—Ten killed, 36 wounded.

Third Grenadiers—Nine killed, 35 wounded, four missing. Scots Guards—Ten killed, 27 wounded, one missing. Northumberland Fusiliers—Eleven killed, 31 wounded. First Northumberland—Three wounded. Second Yorkshire—Nine killed, 14 wounded.

First North Lancashire—Three killed, 14 wounded. Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders—Fifteen killed, 95 wounded, two missing. First Coldstreams—Twenty wounded. South African Reserve—One wounded. Medical Corps—One wounded.

AN OFFICIAL DISPATCH.

The British War Office Hears From Gen. Forrester-Walker.

London, Dec. 3.—The war office has received the following from Gen. Forrester-Walker: Cape Town, Friday, Dec. 1.—Gen. Gatacre reports no change in the situation.

Gen. French has made a reconnaissance from Naunpoort to Mosmesd. The troops have returned. Gen. Methuen's flesh wound is slight. He is remaining at Modder River for the reconstruction of the bridge. Am reinforcing him with Highlanders and a cavalry corps. Horse artillery, the Canadian regiment, Australian contingents and three battalions of infantry have moved up to the De Aar and Belmont line.

Reports Were Premature.

From Gen. Forrester-Walker's dispatch it is proved that all reports of Gen. Methuen's advance after the battle of Modder River were premature, though, with the railroad working, he should not be long

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"By Industry we Thrive."

LOCAL NEWS.

Elder I. H. Teel filled his regular appointment at New Sunday.

Prof. J. J. Glenn has leased the Guthrie Graphic to J. Frank Hutchinson for a term of years.

There was a fair congregation at the sunrise prayer-meeting Thanksgiving morning. Mr. W. F. Burr led the service which was an interesting one.

Mr. M. B. Long, proprietor of the Bon Ton Bakery, is one of the first of our merchants to receive his line of holiday goods. He got in a nice line of goods the first of the week.

The meeting at the M. E. Church has already accomplished much good. Bro. Wilson, the pastor, is doing some earnest preaching to good-sized and attentive congregations.

On account of the revival services in progress at the M. E. Church, there was no preaching at the Southern Methodist church Sunday evening. Tuesday evening prayer meeting was also called to.

Messrs. N. I. Toombs, Will Bramham and Cal Martin have been about the most successful of our local hunters. They went out hunting Thanksgiving and succeeded in bagging quite a load of quails and several rabbits.

Quite a number of members of the Ancient Order of United Workmen of this place, attended the funeral of young Gillmore at Dawson, Monday afternoon. The party was composed of W. A. Sisson, Robert Gordon, Wynan Watts and others.

Mr. Louis Weber and family and Mrs. Gillespie left Tuesday for Seattle, Wash., where Mr. Weber has been offered a lucrative position. They have many friends here who deeply regret to give them up and whose best wishes will follow them to their new home.

Elder I. H. Teel preached the Thanksgiving sermon at the Christian church to a large and attentive congregation. The sermon was a splendid one full of good thought. Several school children took part in the service and did their parts well. Their work reflects honor on the faithful teachers of the Earlington school.

Quarterly conference was held at the M. E. church, South, Sunday and Sunday. Rev. Geo. H. Hayes, D. D., the veteran presiding elder, was present. His sermons on Saturday and Sunday were interesting and instructive. Earlington Methodists are always ready to welcome Dr. Hayes and to listen to his instructive sermons.

The Second Congressional District Colored Teachers' Association met in the Assembly Hall last Friday and Saturday. Quite a number of teachers were in attendance. The talks on different subjects were good and the sessions were interesting. The colored people of Earlington entertained the guests in splendid style, and they all seemed to enjoy the meeting very much.

The Madisonville Commandery Knights Templar were special invited guests of LaValette Commandery, Evansville, Ind., to the Malta Festival in that city last Thursday and Friday nights. It was one of the largest and most creditable Masonic functions ever held in this section of the country. L. D. Hockersmith, W. C. Morton, John E. Fisher, Chas. F. Osburn, R. W. Overall, Leo Schmetzer, W. P. Ross and P. B. Ross went from Madisonville. Earlington members were prevented by business from attending.

Grant Morgan Dead.
Grant Morgan, colored who was shot near Monarch mines last week, by James Chambers, colored, died of his wounds Friday night.

Fight at Barnsley.
There was a fight at Barnsley last Friday night, in which quite a number of men took an active part. Several shots were fired, but no one was seriously hurt. Wes Smith was struck in the leg by a stray bullet.

A Youthful Couple.
Tommy Thomason and Miss Emma Cunningham, both of the White Plains country, were married by Judge Hall, in Madisonville Saturday. The groom is eighteen years of age and his bride thirteen.

Tom Gillmore Dead.
Thomas Gillmore, the ten-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Matthew Gillmore, of Dawson, died Sunday after several days illness. Interment took place at Dawson, Monday afternoon. He was a grandson of Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Pike, of this city. The Bee extends sympathy to all the bereaved ones.

Wash the Dishes Quickly!

You can if you use Gold Dust. It does most of the work. It saves time, money and labor.

Send for free booklet—"Golden Rules for Housework."

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New Books for the Library.

There were a number of new books received at the "Earlington Free Library" this week. Mr. John H. Moss, of New York, one of the directors of the St. Bernard Coal Company, recently made a very generous gift of money to the library, part of which has been invested in these new volumes.

The following is a list of the new books: Hypatia, Corinne, Lorna Doone, Jane Eyre, Uarda, An Egyptian Princess, Charity Chance, Uriah the Reckless, The Golden Chain, One Thousand Miles up the Nile, Toller of the Sea, The Captain's Boat, The Host Army Captain John Kane, Eddy's Travels in Europe, Eddy's Travels in Asia and Africa, The Ocean Rovers, The Seminoles of Florida, The Legends of the American Revolution, The Woman's Book, Napoleon III, Stories of the Persian Wars, Moore's Universal Assistant, Forty Lessons in Carpentry, and the complete set of Maria Edgeworth's novels.

A duplicate set of all these books will be given to the "John B. Atkinson Jr. Library" also.

A SURE CURE FOR COUGHS.

Twenty-Five Years' Constant Use Without a Failure.

The first indication of cough is hoarseness, and in a child subject to this disease it may be taken as a sure sign of the approach of an attack. Following this hoarseness is a peculiar rough cough. If Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is given as soon as the child becomes hoarse, or even after the coughy cough appears, it will prevent the attack. It is used in many thousands of homes in this broad land and never disappoints the anxious mothers. We have yet to learn of a single instance in which it has not proved effectual. No other preparation can show such a record—twenty-five years' constant use without a failure. For sale by St. Bernard Drugstore, Earlington; Ben. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap, Geo. King, St. Charles.

Teachers Association.

The Second Congressional Teachers' meeting at Henderson, last Friday and Saturday, was a successful one. Quite a number of teachers were present and took part in the exercises. The papers and addresses were able and instructive. Henderson did herself credit in the splendid way in which she entertained the visitors. The next meeting of the association will be at Morgantown, next November. Messrs. Sallie Ford and Minnie Bourland, of this place attended the association and took part in the exercises. Miss Ford was elected Treasurer of the association.

His Life Was Saved.

Mr. J. E. Lily, a prominent citizen of Hannibal, Mo., lately had a wonderful recovery from a frightful death. In telling of it he says: "I was taken with Typhoid Fever that ran into Pneumonia. My lungs became hardened. I was so weak I couldn't even sit up in bed. Nothing helped me. I was expected to soon die of Consumption, when I heard of Dr. King's New Discovery. This bottle gave great relief. I continued to use it, and now am well and strong. I can't say too much in its praise." The New Discovery is the surest and quickest cure in the world for all Throat and Lung Trouble. Regular size 50 cents and Dr. King's New Discovery is sold by St. Bernard Drugstore; every bottle guaranteed.

The Christian Man's Life.

A Christian man's life is laid in the loom of time to a pattern which he does not see, but God does. On one side of the loom is sorrow, and on the other is joy, and the shuttle, struck alternately by each, flies back and forth, carrying the thread, which is white or black as the pattern needs. And in the end, when God shall lift up the finished garment, and all its changing hues shall glance out, it will then appear that the deep and dark colors were as useful to beauty as the bright and high colors.—Henry Ward Beecher.

To Clean Flatting.

Few things can be used to clean flatting; salt and soda have been used, but experience has taught that the best way is to have the flatting thoroughly swept, and then cover it with a solution of warm water with Gold Dust Washing Powder dissolved in it; it is best to use a wooden cloth, a tablespoonful of Gold Dust Washing Powder to a quart of water is the proportion; wring the cloth almost dry and rub quickly, but the moment the water gets dirty, change it for fresh; follow the wet cloth with a dry one. This cleans perfectly.

A Good Paper.

Messrs. W. M. and C. T. Likens are starting off well with their new paper, the Vindicator, at Owensboro. They are getting up a good paper and the business is calculated to accomplish much good for the prohibition cause. They are experienced newspaper men and capable of getting up a creditable paper.

A Powder Mill Explosion.

Removes everything in sight; so do drastic mineral pills, but both are mighty dangerous. Don't dynamite the delicate machinery of your body with calomel, croton oil or aloes pills, when Dr. King's New Life Pills, which are gentle as a summer breeze, do the work perfectly. Cures Headache, Constipation. Only 25c. at St. Bernard Drugstore.

NATURE STUDY.

Interesting Paper Written by Miss Sallie Ford, and Read at Henderson

At the District Teachers' Association, which Met There Friday and Saturday.

Emerson has very wittily said that "The question of the utilitarian is always, 'What is it good for?' a question that would abolish the rose and establish the cabbage." But this study it seems to me combines both the qualities of the rose and the cabbage, i. e., both beauty and usefulness.

Let us first consider Nature Study from its utilitarian standpoint—"What is it good for?" Does it not develop and train the powers of observation and reason, of thought, the analytical sense and the judgment? Does it not train the eye to see, the ear to hear and educate the sense of touch? Does it not develop taste and a nice discrimination in color? Are these powers to be despised?

An amusing account of his first lesson, under the great Agassiz, is given by one of his pupils in which he describes himself as being left for hours with a lone fish and microscope, but he states that afterwards he had reason to bless the wisdom that taught him to look and discover for himself. Was there any one who could better have told the lad about the object?

What a power of seeing must Froebel have possessed to have made his wonderful discovery that all forms which the human mind has ever known, or of which it can conceive, are derived from the three elementary forms of the sphere, cube and cylinder!

The wisest and ablest of men have drawn their wisdom and inspiration from Nature. It was said of Solomon that "he spoke of trees, from the cedar tree that is in Lebanon even unto the hyssop that sprang out of the wall; he spoke also of beasts and of fowl and of creeping things and of fishes."

In the greatest subjective poem ever written we hear Job say: "Ask now the beasts and they shall teach thee; and the fowls of the air, and they shall tell thee, and the fishes of the sea shall declare unto thee."

What spiritual teachings did the God-man draw from the lilies of the field, the fowls of the air, from seed time and harvest!

What a part Nature has in the writings of so many of our world-class great! Withdraw every reference to her from the writings of Ruskin and what is left? Have they not found as one of the greatest has said:

"Sermons in stones, books

In the running brooks

And good in everything?"

Have you read that prose-poem "Kentucky Cardinal"? What an intimate and loving acquaintance with and appreciation of Nature is shown. We feel that the story must live because of the tender and beautiful insight into Nature it reveals.

What man of understanding and largeness of heart can fail to learn spiritual lessons from the miracles of night and day, sun and rain, spring time and harvest and of plant life and animal life?

Is the story of the atheist prisoner converted to faith in God by a flower, an exaggerated fancy? Who can concentrate his mind on the growth of a plant and feel that the day of miracles is past?

A pretty story is told of Emerson when he was quite an old man. On being called into the garden to see a specially beautiful rose he took off his hat to it. It was an eloquent act—a tribute from him who thought that one ray of beauty is worth all the utilities in the world. And I think he meant it as an act of reverence, too, for he was not one who could see a beautiful and fragrant flower without a glad uplifting of the heart to Him who giveth us all things richly to enjoy.

As an instance of what the study of plant life rightly and systematically conducted can do, I have read of an English clergyman who gathered the children of the village in which he lived about him once a week for lessons on Botany—teaching them their own observations. They were of a class in which the intellectual life usually receives little attention. So benefited were they by this work that they reached a plane quite beyond that occupied by people of neighboring villages of like conditions. It was the province of the son-in-law of this clergyman to examine medical men for the army and he says the majority of them could not answer questions that could have been readily answered by the children of his father's school. The fault being that the observing faculties of these men had not been trained as children. It is said that "Botany is capable of doing for the observing powers of the mind what mathematics does for its reasoning powers."

Did you ever think what an advantage, for Nature study, teachers in the country have over those in the city? The plant and insect world, birds and animals are ready to hand and how interested are the little ones "communicated" as they are "by every sight and sound."

I know a little one who some weeks ago refused to go to sleep for all of "black mammy's" rocking and crooning because she was interested in the flies humming about the room. "Listen to the bugs, mammy, listen to the bugs," she would say, greatly to the annoyance of mammy, no doubt, whose ears had grown dull to such sounds. This subject is so vast and deep that I feel almost helpless before it. A few practical suggestions I will give from outlines of work obtained in a course at the Western Kentucky Normal School. Suppose we are having a lesson on birds. Ask:

1. "Who can tell on hearing a bird

sing, without seeing it, what kind of a bird it is?"

2. "How many kinds of birds can you name?"

3. "What birds stay with us during the winter?"

4. "What birds go away in winter?"

Accept oral answers to these at first. Later, require written statements, either in lists of words under their proper heading, or words used in complete statements. As to which of these methods must be used the teacher must decide.

For an emergency device when leaves are on the trees, let each child draw a leaf. Let it make its first attempt with freedom. However crude the drawing may be, avoid anything that may hurt the child's sensitiveness. After a leaf has been drawn, let all who can write a composition on the leaf.

In Botany let the children study the plants themselves. Pumpkins, squash, corn, bean and pea seed are good for sprouting. Let them sprout all these seeds. Let them record them the length of time required for each. Ask them if plants will grow if sprouted in the fall? Let the children make the experiment. Encourage them to have little gardens of their own.

In our readers instead of starting on the front page and going straight through, let us choose those lessons adapted to the seasons. Take, for instance, the lesson on corn in McGuffey's Third Reader. Choose this lesson when corn is in season. Have the children bring corn and rice to the class, if possible, remembering that an object is a great stimulus to the mind. Have the first paragraph read. It reads thus:

"Few plants are more useful to man than Indian corn, or maize. No grain, except rice, is used to so great an extent as an article of food. In some countries corn is almost the only food eaten by the people." Then ask:

1. Who can give names of plants?

2. What kind of plants have you mentioned?

3. What is an edible plant?

4. Name six principal food plants?

5. Who can mention other kinds of plants?

6. What plants can you see from the window?

7. Who can write the word "maize" on the board?

8. Who can mention countries in which corn is used as food?

9. Who has ever heard a song about Indian corn?

10. What kind of soil is best for corn?

11. Does corn grow best in warm or cool climates?

12. From what part of the seed will the plant start?

13. What does one do to sprout corn?

Let the children sprout some corn and bring it to school. As to general observation work, have the children tell what they saw on the way to school. Let them keep a record of what the thermometer registers at a specified hour each day—say at noon. Also of the weather whether fair, cloudy, or raining. Have them observe the length of the days, from sunrise to sunset, and discover the longest and shortest days of the year and measure their shadows at noon on these days.

Before Geography is commenced with a text book give them field work and teach them the terms used in Geography from nature—also as much as possible the various phenomena of Physical Geography from nature. There is a fine outline for such work in Frye's work on "The Child and Nature," the "I and I told that Crocker's" First Book in Geography," (pub. by Lee & Shepherd, Boston), is even better.

In lessons on the three elementary forms of the cube, sphere, and cylinder have them name those objects in nature that resemble these. This will keep their eyes open and their minds employed upon the objects around them and teach them to see, to think, analyze, judge, reason, compare. In other words it will develop the child along natural lines and as the end of all our teaching is to train the children to live completely, and live well remember that we teach them to be better men and women.

Nature, the old nurse, took The child upon her knee, Saying: "Here is a story book Thy Father has written for thee: 'Come, wander with me, she said, 'Into regions yet untrod, And read what is still unread In the manuscripts of God.'"

And he wandered away and away With nature, the dear old nurse, Who sang to him night and day The rhymes of the universe.

And whenever the way seemed long, Or his heart began to fail, She would sing a more wonderful song.

Or tell a more marvellous tale.—Longfellow to Agassiz.

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With LOCAL APPLICATIONS, as they cannot reach the seat of the disease. Catarrah is a blood or constitutional disease, and in order to cure it you must take internal remedies. Hall's Catarrah Cure is not a quick medicine. It is prescribed by one of the best physicians in this country for years and is a regular prescription. It is composed of the best tonic known, combined with the best blood purifier, acting directly on the mucous surfaces. The perfect combination of the two ingredients is what produces such wonderful results in curing Catarrah. Send for testimonials, free.

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Shot Accidentally.
A young man named Ray of the Pond river country, was killed accidentally one day last week. He was out hunting when the gun was discharged, killing him almost instantly.

For Pneumonia.

Dr. C. J. Bishop, of Agnew, Mich., says: "I have used Foley's Honey and Pile Ointment in three very severe cases of pneumonia the past month with good results."

1. "Who can tell on hearing a bird

Mannington News.

The farmers of this vicinity were very busy the past week stripping and getting ready to deliver their tobacco.

The bird hunters that have been so numerous in this section returned to their homes Friday.

Mr. Willie Walton, a popular young gentleman of Barnsley, past through here en route to Crofton, stopped off at this place for a short time to see friends. He spent Friday night with his cousin, Mrs. Richie Ezell, at Crofton. While there he had a very hard chill and returned to his home Saturday very sick and it is thought will take the fever.

Mr. Frank McIntosh, of Texas, who has been here visiting his brother Walter, will not return to his home before January. This is his first visit since December 1898.

Miss Inia Gunn, who has been down most four weeks with fever, is no better at this writing.

Mr. Walter McIntosh, who has been very low with typhoid fever, is slowly improving.

Mr. D. McIntosh spent Saturday in this section Sunday night.

Mr. York McIntosh and wife, who have been very ill with typhoid fever, are improving.

No Right to Ugliness.

The woman who is lovely in face, form and temper will always have friends, but one who would be attractive must keep her health. If she is weak, sickly and all run down she will be nervous and irritable. If she has constipation or kidney trouble, her impure blood will cause pimples, blotches, skin eruptions and a wretched complexion. Electric Bitters is the best medicine in the world to regulate stomach, liver and kidneys and to purify the blood. It gives strong nerves, bright eyes, smooth, velvety skin, rich complexion. It will make a good-looking, charming woman of a run-down invalid. Only 50 cents at St. Bernard Drugstore.

Call at the palace art car and see the fine lot of photographs they are showing. They guarantee their work to equal that of any city studio.

A New Enterprise.

A. D. Melton is preparing to establish a new enterprise in Madisonville. He is preparing a factory for manufacturing the numerous products that tobacco stems have been found useful for. The building will be equipped with all the machinery that is necessary for the operation of such a plant and Mr. Melton expects to operate his plant on a large scale.

MAS NATURE WARNED YOU.

Nature herself said in the early garden of spring, bloom forth and live, and cease to be a dependent child, and vibrate to this, the most delightful of all, springtime and live. The foreman of C. H. K. and T. Typhoid fever. If you must not pass this warning as it is an indication of sickness; avoid this, and you will feel like a new man. Call on your druggist and procure a bottle of Dr. Carleton's German Liver Powder. Take one dose a day at bed time for six days; then follow by procuring a bottle of Yucca Ciliifolia following the directions and after two weeks' course of these two great remedies, you will feel like a new man. Prepare yourself for the material or hot season when the atmosphere is full of germs. It is necessary and when your system warns you repeat the above. These Remedies to stock and sell.

St. Bernard Drug Store.

Burglars Caught.

Detective Wilson, of Princeton, captured two men Monday, who were wanted in Webster county for burglarizing the store of J. W. Jones & Co., at Slaughter'sville. Mr. Wilson said there is no doubt as to the prisoners being the right men. He had been tracking them for several days and found them near Hopkinsville where, aided by others, he arrested them.

It Hits the Spot.

When suffering from a severe cold and your throat and lungs feel sore, take a dose of Foley's Kidney Cure. The soreness will be at once relieved, a warm grateful feeling will follow, and the cold will be experienced and you will say: "It feels so good. IT HITS THE SPOT." Guaranteed.—Campbell & Co.

Henri Watterson, Bill Goebel's editor of Bill Haldeman's Courier-Journal, says in his double-barrel editorial of the 2d inst. that the political murderers and bandits some time ago threatened to kill him outright if he "did not desist from printing the truth." That is one "injunction" he always obeys to the letter; and therefore he still lives!

My son has been troubled for years with chronic diarrhoea. Sometime ago I persuaded him to take some of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy. After using two bottles of the 25-cent size he was cured. I give this testimonial, hoping some one similarly afflicted may read it and be benefited.—THOMAS C. BOWEN, Gloucester, O. For sale by St. Bernard Drugstore, Earlington; Ben. T. Robinson, Mortons Gap; Geo. King, St. Charles.

Ten Year Sentence.
Cleora King, who killed Marshal Casabier at Hartford last week, was tried and the jury returned a verdict of manslaughter and fixed his punishment at ten years in the penitentiary. King was drunk and when the officer tried to arrest him King stabbed him to death.

There are few ailments so uncomfortable as piles, but they can easily be cured by using Tabler's Buckeye Pile Ointment. Relief follows its use, and any one suffering from piles can not afford to neglect to give it a fair trial. Price 50 cts. in bottles, tubes 25 cts. St. Bernard Drugstore.

The Shakespeare Club met with Mrs. E. A. Chatten Tuesday evening, and began the reading of Julius Caesar. The readings are much enjoyed by all who attend.

A TIMELY HINT.

It is a well known fact that your blood is rich and pure and your whole system put in a perfectly healthy condition by the use of Dr. Carleton's German Liver Powder. Then you will be free from malaria, typhoid fever, colds and the grip. Dr. Carleton's German Liver Powder is the best medicine money can buy.

For your cold try Dr. Otto's Spruce Gum Balsam. Price 25c and 50c a bottle.

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If you want a photo of yourself or family, go to the R. R. Photo Car. They will be here a few days only.



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The Beaver Dam Gleaner says: "We congratulate our neighbor, The Herald, upon its noble stand for right. There is no more partisan journal in Kentucky, nor one who fights harder for its faith than it has, but it can not follow Goebel and his followers further in trying to rob the people and says it is certain that General Taylor has been chosen governor."

Volcanic Eruptions.

Are grand, but Skin Eruptions rob life of joy. Bucklen's Arnica Salve cures them; also Old, Running and Fever Sores, Ulcers, Bolls, Felsons, Corns, Warts, Cuts, Bruises, Burns, Scalds, Chapped Hands, Chillsblains. Best Pile cure on earth. Drives out Pains and Aches. Only 25c. a box. Cure guaranteed. Sold by St. Bernard Drugstore.

Strayed or Stolen.

One shepherd pup, yellow, six months old; had collar on. Disappeared Thursday Nov. 30. A liberal reward will be paid for his return or information leading to his return. W. H. or H. C. COLEMAN.

Rev. T. C. Froge, of Logan county, for fifty years a Methodist preacher, is dead, aged 70 years. For many years he has been one of Methodism's bright and leading lights and will be sadly missed by his brethren.

To Cure a Cold in One Day

Take Laxative Bromo Quinine Tablets. All druggists refund money if it fails to cure. The genuine has L. L. B. Co. on each tablet.

Miss Eugenia Williams, of Adams Station, is with the family of Mr. D. C. Williams, during the absence of his wife, who is in Madisonville, undergoing a surgical operation.

In biliousness, Herbine, by expelling from the body the excess of bile and acids, improves the assimilative processes, purifies the blood, and tones up and strengthens the whole system. Price 50 cts. St. Bernard Drugstore.

W. C. McLeod's new business house on Railroad street is nearing completion. It is one of the handsomest buildings in Earlington.

"Better do it than wish it done." Best cure on earth by taking Foley's Kidney Cure is a guaranteed remedy for the discouraged and disconsolate.—Campbell & Co.

Mr. W. B. Lacy, proprietor of the New Princeton Hotel, at Princeton, has made an assignment.

Lost.

Many have lost confidence and hope as well as health, because they have been told their kidney disease was incurable. Foley's Kidney Cure is a guaranteed remedy for the discouraged and disconsolate.—Campbell & Co.

Ed Hutchinsin, single and 30 years of age, whose home is at Owensville, was found dead in bed at Evansville.

For broken limbs, chilblains, burns scalds, bruised shins, sore throats and sores of every kind, apply Ballard's Snow Liniment. It will give immediate relief and heal any wound. Price 25c and 50c. St. Bernard Drugstore.

It troubled with Dizziness, Furred Tongue, Bitter Taste in Mouth, Bloating Feeling after eating, Constipation or Sick Headache, use Dr. M. A. Simmons Liver Medicine.

Elder Henry Moore conducted Thanksgiving services at Manitou last Thursday.

Have you a cold? A dose of Cassen's Honey of Tar at bedtime will remove it. Price 25c and 50c. St. Bernard Drugstore.

Carries Our Burdens.
A little boy wishes to help his father carry books to his library. The little fellow took hold of a big book, and the father seeing him on the stairs exhausted and unable to go further, took the boy and book in arms. So Christ will carry us and our burdens too.—Dwight L. Moody.

Sore Throat
Sore throat and constant coughing indicate an affection of the bronchial tubes which may develop into pleurisy or inflammation of the lungs. Do not wait; but use Dr. John W. Bull's Cough Syrup at once and be cured.

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Teeth extracted free Saturday, January 20, 1900, at Earlington, Ky., by Neville Bros., the Real Painless Dentists of Sebree, Ky., who come well recommended, this being their third trip, and will continue to make regular trips. They guarantee their work for five years.

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Just west of me about even miles from the sleepy little village of Crofton, nestling among the hills like a gigantic white winged bird, while a little farther to the north can be seen a column of black smoke as it rises lazily above the haze of the distant hills, which proclaims the situation of the Empire coal mines, where the black diamonds are being brought to the surface to cheer and warm our homes on the long wintry evenings.

While I have been writing the sun has gone to rest behind the western hills and the lonely hoot of an owl in the distance proclaims the time for my departure from this beautiful spot, where I have spent a pleasant day with nature and which brings to my mind the beautiful lines of the poet Byron:

"There is a pleasure in the pathless wood;
There is a rapture on the lonely shore;
There is a society where none intrudes,
By the deep sea and music in its roar." U No Hoo.

Red Hill, Ky., November 20, 1899.

Grapevine Items.

Everybody is having a hog-killing time.

The cold wave is hastening the harvest of the pumpkin and turnip crops.

J. D. Sisk, of Dalton, was a Sunday visitor.

John Brown and wife, of the Ashleysburg country, visited at R. P. Henry's Saturday.

Dr. R. O. Davis, of Caldwell, and Elmo Martin, of Muhlenberg, were recent visitors.

Mrs. John Slaton entertained the young ladies of her neighborhood Saturday.

Miss Hallie Hanner and mother, of Madisonville, are spending the week at Ben Laffoon's.

A wagonette load of young people from Madisonville, stormed H. B. Kittinger Thursday night.

Misses Lora, Henry and Lorena Hall visited at Hecla last week.

J. Q. Todd and family dined at Elder Story's Thanksgiving.

Elder W. H. Ligon failed to fill his appointment at Bethlehem Sunday on account of inclement weather. He has been called for another year.

Marion, second son of the late William Johnson, died Thursday of typhoid fever.

Misses Vle Wyatt, Texie McNair,

All communications and matters of general interest to the community should be addressed to Geo. A. Alexander, Editor of the

The S. C. D. T. Association was successful. The teachers who attended expressed themselves as highly pleased with Earlington in every way. The delegation was not large, but was an excellent quality "quality first then quantity."

The Oriental Collation tented by the teachers and citizens of Earling county, mainly of Earlring was indeed a grand affair.

His honor, Mayor W. F. B. welcome address was indeed instructive and impressive.

Many teachers expressed wishes to behold the "magnificent civilization" who resides in Earlington and were disappointed because they did not have that honor. A gentleman was away from the

Madams H. Phillips and Hargraves as eaters did splendid work. Every one complimented them for their excellent taste.

Mr. Messrs. Ben Cunningham and Holland for their faithful work good management. Of course work would not have been done without the hands of Mrs. Holland and Mrs. Rosa Boyd. They decorated the hall beautifully.

The Once Again Club received many compliments. Each member worked faithfully.

The Association meets at Morfield next November.

The resolutions and other matter concerning will appear in coming form later.

Miss Lula L. Traise, of Russellville, and Miss Nellie Brooks Hopkinsville, is visiting Florence Warders, of this place.

Rev. Kennedy, of Henderson, preached here Sunday.

Banks, the Major man was city last week.

A Newspaper Man Married.

Last Tuesday at 11 o'clock at Earlingville, Mr. A. Walker, manager of the Daily New Era, Miss Madge Fairleigh were united in marriage. Rev. W. K. Pineda the Methodist church performed the ceremony. Mr. Wood is a prominent young newspaper man, and his bride is a leader in society.

Mr. Charles Parish, of the Earlring county, attended quarterly meeting Sunday.

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A new edition, entirely rewritten, and giving facts and conditions, brought down to date, of the Central's "Southern Homeseekers' Guide," has just been issued. A color-page illustrated pamphlet, containing large numbers of letters from Northern farmers now prosperously located on the line of the Illinois Central Railroad in the States of Kentucky, Tennessee, Mississippi and Louisiana and also a detailed write-up of all cities, towns and country on and adjacent to that line. To homeseekers or those in search of a farm, this pamphlet will furnish reliable information concerning the most accessible and prosperous portion of the South. Free copies can be obtained by applying to the nearest of the undersigned.

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